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ful work, are the claims upon which we solicit a share of your business in the future. Thanking those who have favored me in the past and hoping to continue to please them. I am respectfully,

F. A. LEE.

GEN. JOUBERT DEAD.

Leader of the Transvaal Forces Dies at Pretoria.

TOWN IN MOURNING.

He Was a Descendant from the French Huguenots and Born in Cape Colony—He Was the Hero of Majuba Hill.

Pretoria, March 28.—General Joubert died last night at 11:30 o'clock. He had been suffering from a stomach complaint. The town is plunged in mourning for the true patriot, gallant general and upright and honorable gentleman.

General Pietrus Joubert, commandant of the Transvaal forces, was better known as Piet Joubert, or "Slein Piet," (Slim Peter), born about 68 years ago. He descended from the old French Huguenot family which settled in South Africa many years ago. He was born in Cape Colony, but was taken by his parents when seven years old to the Orange Free State, where he was taught from early childhood to shoot straight and hate the British. He is described as having been utterly fearless. Of schooling, he had but little, and never saw a newspaper until he was 19 years old. In spite of this his ambition prompted him to read the few books he could obtain and he succeeded in obtaining a fair knowledge of the history of languages. It was during the war with natives that Joubert became acquainted with Paul Kruger and the two men became bosom friends. General Joubert was elected vice-president of the Transvaal 1896. He defeated Sir George Colley at Majuba hill in 1881 and acted as president of the republic in 1883-84, during Kruger's absence in Europe.

MINE DESTROYED.

Dundee Colliery Blown up and the Machinery Ruined.

Pretoria, March 28.—Dundee colliery has been blown up, machinery has been destroyed and the mine rendered useless for three months to come.

According to a dispatch from Kroonstadt, Commandant Olivier has joined Generals Groblaar and Lemmer, who is safe.

General DeLarey is still sick at Pretoria, but he will proceed to the front Sunday.

Trains are frequently leaving with burghers for the fighting line on this side of Bloemfontein.

The Standard and Diggers' News says it learns Generals Olivier, Groblaar and Lemmer arrived at a point sufficiently far north to relieve all apprehensions possible of their being cut off. It is expected they will arrive at Windburg in a few days and effect a junction with General De Wet, when the federal position is declared, formidable to oppose Lord Roberts.

Reports received from various banks of the republics show cash holdings amount to £2,233,057.

OLIVIER ESCAPES.

Has His Men and Twenty-Five Miles of Wagons Beyond Reach.

London, March 28.—The Boers, having a little luck, are showing boldness again, as a raiding party estimated at 400 is believed by the British forces at Warrenton to have crossed the Kimberly-Bloemfontein wagon road Monday and to have headed for Jacobsdal, with the intention of cutting the railway ten miles west.

Commandant Olivier appears to have gotten his 5000 men and 25 miles of wagons into rugged country, where he can make an easy rear guard defense.

He has done this with within fifty miles or so of General Roberts' main strength. Certainly it looked for a week as though General Roberts held Olivier in the hollow of his hand. If Olivier gets through to Kroonstadt with even 3000 men it will be an important addition to the Boer gathering there. His escape is attributable to the worn-out condition of the British cavalry horses. General Roberts' transport appears to have been badly dislocated by the loss at Riet river, before Cronje's surrender, of the wagon train. In addition to this the army with which he purposes to advance toward Pretoria is nearly double that of the early rapid movements.

CONSULTING MILNER.

Roberts Perfecting Plans for the Pacification of Free States.

London, March 28.—British High Commissioner Sir Alfred Milner has arrived at Bloemfontein and was met by Gen. Roberts and staff. It is thought the question of pacification of the Free State and the treatment of the insurgents are doubtless being discussed between Lord Roberts and Sir Alfred Milner.

According to the same dispatch Gen

French previous to returning to Bloemfontein, occupied a flour mill near the latter, which is considered an important acquisition.

Reports from Rouxville and other towns say the surrender of arms to the British continue satisfactorily.

General Clement's column entered Fauresmith Tuesday having previously occupied Laagersfontein. Magistrates were appointed and the proclamation read, bands of music met the troops and flags were flown. The scenes resemble the American occupation of Puerto Rican towns. Among the spectators at Fauresmith was President Steyn's daughter.

Heavy rains have made General Clement's march hard and causing sickness among his troops.

A dispatch from Maseru, Basutoland, dated March 27 says the apparently reliable reports that Boers are entering Ladybrand cause the presumption that British troops crossed the line of the Boer retreat towards Kroonstadt and a fight or surrender near Ladybrand imminent. As the Maseru dispatches are not distinguished for their accuracy, and as the British force near Ladybrand under Colonel Pitcher is quite small, nothing very definite seems likely to result from the operations.

Further advices from Mafeking, dated March 15, reiterate all were well there a cordon not so tightly drawn. Boers are allowing natives to pass through lines which they had previously forbidden. Native refugees reported to be too stupid and lazy to work or take cover from shells. They gather in crowds around soup kitchens and have to be driven away when the warning bell rings. The bombardment just previous to the dispatch being sent, has been unusually vigorous and it is probable before long rations will be still further reduced.

Two Boer prisoners escaped from Camp Simonstown on March 26. Sickened there is unabated and many of the prisoners are in a serious condition.

The only word from General Buller is the report that the officers who have recovered from their wounds and who have returned to duty, which includes the name of Lieutenant John Churchill, brother of Winston Churchill.

UNITED STATES ONLY EXEMPT.

Washington, March 28.—It is learned from an excellent diplomatic authority that the United States is the only nation where official mail to and from Pretoria is not subjected to the scrutiny of the British censor in Cape Town and Durban.

On the other hand Great Britain recently notified the powers, that in accordance with article 8, of the Paris convention of 1875, she intended to exercise her discretion with reference to stopping cable messages intended for Pretoria. It was this declaration which caused Russia to ask the United States for an expression of its views, not for any use at that time, but for the guidance of the St. Petersburg government in future.

SAILED WITH A CARGO OF MULES.

New Orleans, March 28.—The steamer Syria sailed for Cape Town Tuesday with a cargo of 1434 mules for the British army.

NO CLAIM ON ST. CROIX.

French Government No Title to This Island in West Indies.

Washington, March 28.—Investigation of the subject made by the state department has convinced the officials that the French government possesses no right to the island of St. Croix, of the Danish West Indies.

The French government is not being considered by Secretary Hay in connection with the negotiations under way with Denmark for the acquisition of the Danish West Indies by the United States. It is said by the officials that if France believes she has any claims she must settle them with Denmark and that the United States cannot consider them.

The department has not been advised of the purpose of the government to introduce a bill in the Danish legislature authorizing the sale of the island. It is said authoritatively, however, that negotiations have not proceeded to the point where a convention has been drafted, and that thus far the two governments have been discussing the propositions each has advanced.

SUCCESSFUL TEST.

Krupp Plate Made at Bethlehem Works Resists the Shots.

Washington, March 28.—The first Krupp plate manufactured by the Bethlehem Steel company has passed a very successful ballistic test at the Indian Head proving grounds. The plate represented a group of 300 tons intended for the Russian battleship Retvisan, under construction at Cramps. It tapered from 9 to 5 inches in thickness. It was 12 feet long by 7 feet wide, and was supported by the usual oak backing. The plate was the target for four 8-inch armor piercing projectiles, each weighing 250 pounds. The required velocity to be attained by each shell was 1932 feet per second, but the velocity in every case was higher. The greatest penetration obtained was 3 inches. No cracks ap-

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THURSDAY MARCH 29, 1900.

The courts are getting down to the bottom of the Goebel murder, and a damnable conspiracy it is, too, if half the evidence be true.

A Yankee chemist claims to have discovered a substance 555 times sweeter than sugar. A Texas girl must have wandered up that way.—Gonzales Enquirer.

Do not permit the children to form the habit of disputing and quarreling with each other. It may be prevented, like other bad habits, by watchfulness, particularly if the training is begun when the children are very young. Separation is the best punishment, breaking up the play and taking away the cause of the dispute. Children are social beings and do not like to play alone. They dislike solitude, and if they find it is invariably the result of quarreling they will take pains to be more amiable so as not to be forced into it.—April Ladies' Home Journal.

Doll and Kite Show.

There will be a doll and kite show held at the residence of Mrs. D. C. DeMaret, who will be assisted by Mrs. F. Marion Law and Mrs. Geraldine Butler, on Saturday evening, March 31, from 2 till 6 p.m. Every girl and boy in the city is invited to bring her doll and his kite to be exhibited. There will be prizes given for the handsomest doll, the oldest doll, the best rag doll and the doll with the most neatly sewed clothes made by the owner. Also prizes for the largest kite, the smallest kite, the kite with the best tail and the most neatly made kite made by the owner. The dolls and kites must be sent to the residence of Mr. DeMaret on Saturday, March 31, after school hours. The proceeds in aid of the Episcopal Church. 95

A New Seidlitz Powder

We have originated a new seidlitz powder that is a creditable improvement on the old kind in that it is more efficient, more grateful to the stomach, and of more therapeutic value. The improvement consists of the addition of Sodium Phosphate in place of Rochelle Salts. This seidlitz powder will in time universally displace the old kind because of its far greater value as an aperient. Price 25 cents per dozen—two for 5 cents. Prepared and sold only at

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whereby they are to pay the state association three cents of the ten per cent commission charged; if the truck growers will join the state association within a few seasons this small allowance will keep up the state association & hides pay the members a handsome dividend on their dollar invested. We earnestly ask you to join us, let us not herd to ourselves, let us come together for the good of our cause, let us at least be equal to cattle and other interests which always rally to protect themselves and much good will be the result.

A. G. Pickett, Pres.

Hotel Arrivals.

EXCHANGE.

Jack Steele, McKinney; F W McConico, T K Lawrence, City; W J Taylor, J W Sullivan, Houston; A Teshler, New York; Ed H Hardin, Waco; P E Wilson, Dallas; G W Griswold, St Louis; Hill Wilson, Mumford; W A Withers, City; A L Gray, St Louis; F W Evans, New York; W C Brashear, M E Glass, W C Connor Jr, G Waldo, Houston; J E Van Riper, C. W. & B. V. surveying corps; Jno N Henderson, Austin.

CENTRAL.

W H Burt, R L Weddington, J W Moore, Wm Lewis, S D Statley, W H Boyett, W L Powers, T W Drew, W H Dozier, J I Barron, Baylor Lewis, R P Andrews, C A Buchanan, City; Mrs H C Chaney, Iola; W H Major, Chicago; A J Edwards, Millican; G T Davis, Keith; T J Sawyer, J H Weeden, Harvey; Joe B Walker, City; H Z T Wilson, Benchley; Jeff Mayes, Keith; A H Montgomery, Iola.

THE BRYAN MARKETS.

Prices were quoted in Bryan yesterday as follows:

COTTON.

Middling 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ c.
Strict Middling 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ c.
Good Middling 9c.

PRODUCE.

Eggs 6c.
Chickens \$2.00 per doz
Beeswax 16c per pound.
Turkeys 40 to 50c each.
Honey 8c per pound.
Country lard 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ c per pound.
Butter 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ c per pound.
Bacon, 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ c per pound.
Irish Potatoes \$1.00 per bushel.
Sweet Potatoes 75c per bushel.
Onions 5c per pound.
Dried Peas 3c per pound.
Corn 50c per bushel.
Hay \$7.50 per ton.
Wood \$1.75 per cord.
Cotton seed \$10.00 per ton.

WOOL AND HIDES.

Wool average 12c per pound.
Hides green 4c per pound.
Hides salted 7c per pound.
Hides dry 8c per pound.
Bones 20c per 100 pounds.

CATTLE SHEEP AND HOGS.

Cows from \$15 to \$20 per head.
Yearlings \$10 per head.
Hogs 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ c per pound gross.
Sheep \$2.00 per head.

Attention.

All members of camp J B Roberson are commanded to meet at the courthouse in Bryan at 2 o'clock p. m. Saturday March 31 to elect officers and pay their per capita for 1900, and transact other important business. By order of
A. C. Brietz, Commander.
W. G. Mitchell, Adjutant.

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Pay an ordinary price for an ordinary suit, not when an ordinary price will buy something extraordinary.

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The real difference between our clothes and those produced by "Swell Tailors" is 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ per cent nothing else.

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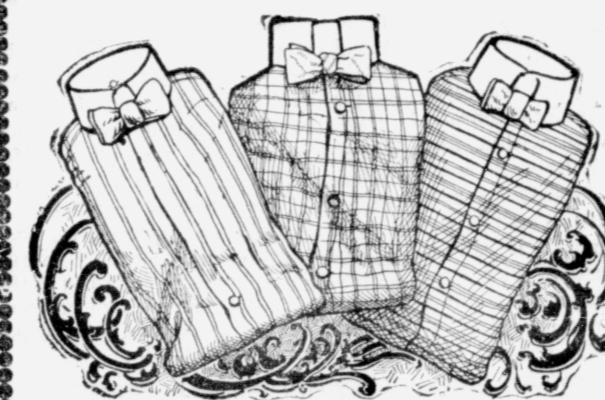


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There are others

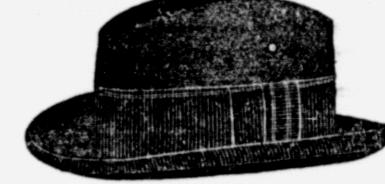
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And if we can't please you, we would like to know it.



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Call and see ours before you buy.

I have just received a fresh shipment of Dozier's Cakes and Crackers. Also a fresh shipment of Blanke & Bros'. Chocolate Candies. I have a few barrels of Seed Irish Potatoes as follows: Jackson, White, Peerless, Burbanks and Early Rose that I will sell at Rock bottom prices as long as they last—come early as they won't last long.

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FREE DELIVERY,
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H. & T. C. Time Card, Bryan
Northbound No 1 12:21 p m
Southbound No 2 4:03 p m
Northbound No 3 1:16 a m
Southbound No 4 3:04 a m

LOCAL NEWS.

Pitt Barnes spent yesterday in the city.

Miss Bettie Miller of Hearne, is here visiting relatives.

The Failla murder case is on trial in the district court.

Brook Hill Whisky—finest on earth—Exposition saloon. 160f

Mrs. Phil Clarke of Hempstead, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Hall.

Drink Mount Vernon Pure Rye at the at the Exposition saloon. d&t

Judge Jno. N. Henderson has been here from Austin the past few days.

Try the famous Brook Hill Whisky at the Exposition saloon. d&t

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Foster and children arrived from Austin yesterday.

Engineer Trammell of the I. & G. N. arrived by the afternoon train yesterday.

Judge J. Anderson the optician, is again at Dr. J. L. Fountain's office in Bryan. 103

Mrs. C. A. Hoover returned to Houston yesterday after visiting her sisters, Misses King.

Mrs. Jas. M. Shaw returned to Navasota yesterday after visiting Mrs. W. C. Gilmore.

Mrs. Frank Brittain returned to Hearne yesterday after visiting Miss Eugene Bone.

Two cars finest ear corn ever brought to Bryan now on track. Place orders early today. R. M. Gordon & Co. 98

Miss Edie Ganaway returned from Reagan yesterday, and was met here by her mother, Mrs. C. C. Ganaway.

Judge Tadafarro is endeavoring to get through with the work of the present term of the district court this week.

Call for Lemps Extra Pale. 109

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Waco's Big Street Fair.

The great Street Fair and Merchants Carnival which is to be held in Waco April 9th, is assuming large proportions. There is no doubt it will be one of the greatest events in the state. Gov. Sayers has accepted an invitation to be present the first two days and will bring a large number of prominent people to the state.

The special features of the occasion are the grand parades each day, which in grandeur have never been surpassed in the state.

The great Vanity Fair and amusement shows and other attractions.

The State Lumbermen's Ass'n., the Southwestern Gas, Electric Light and Street Railway Ass'n., will be in session during the week.

The railroads are giving low rates, and Waco expects many thousand people at the attractions.

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DEBATE IN THE HOUSE

Animated Scenes Occur Over Three
Important Topics.

MARSH IS INDIGNANT

His Anger Aroused by a Speech by Mr.
Lentz on Militarism—Puerto
Rican Tariff and Govern-
ment Bill Before Senate.

Washington, March 28.—There was a lively debate in the house yesterday during the consideration of the army appropriation bill. It covered a wide range of topics, the Puerto Rican tariff, the Boer war and the Philippines.

The charge that the Puerto Rican tariff bill was the result of a deal for raising a Republican campaign fund was again referred to by Mr. Pierce of Tennessee. But Mr. Hull declared that the anonymous author of the charge would never dare to declare himself and be branded as a falsifier.

Mr. Sulzer of New York made an appeal for the extension of official sympathy to the Boers in their struggle for independence and Mr. Lentz of Ohio delivered a scathing denunciation of militarism and the war in the Philippines. His attack aroused the sentiment and indignation of Mr. Marsh of Illinois, who, in a bitter exhortation of the Ohio member, declared that the latter's speech was a disgrace to the American congress. He declared that he was responsible for what he had said both on and off the floor of the house.

Little progress was made by the senate with the Puerto Rican tariff and government bill. It was under discussion for nearly three hours, but the greater part of the time was consumed in consideration of a free coinage amendment offered by Mr. Morgan. The amendment is still pending.

The Alaskan civil code bill was considered during the morning hour. An amendment offered by Mr. Carter setting aside permits hitherto granted by the secretary of war for the mining of gold under the sea on the Alaskan coast precipitated a lively debate.

Clark Case Argument.

Washington, March 28.—The argument in the case of Senator Clark of Montana before the senate committee on privileges and elections, has been postponed until next Tuesday on account of the enforced absence of some of the members of the committee.

The briefs on both sides of the case have been distributed among the members of the committee.

The brief of the memorialists covers 142 pages and is signed by ex-Senator Edmunds, Arthur A. Birney and ex-Congressman Hartman.

The brief for the defense, signed by Hon. Charles J. Faulkner and Mr. Roger Foster, covers 232 pages. The document is throughout an arraignment of the prosecution.

Rear Admiral Day Retired.

Washington, March 28.—Rear Admiral Benjamin F. Day has voluntarily applied for retirement from the active list of the navy and his name placed on the retired list. He has not been to sea since February, 1896, and was therefore compelled to take the next vacant command afloat, for which he was incapacitated by falling down an elevator shaft several months ago. Admiral Day, who has been a member of the retiring board since September, 1897, was promoted to his present grade last March. He was graduated from the naval academy in 1861, going immediately to the gulf blockading squadron. He was wounded in a night engagement on the Mississippi, but served throughout the war. In the new navy he commanded the Boston and the Baltimore.

Captain Silas W. Terry, commanding the Washington navy yard, will be promoted to the vacancy as rear admiral.

Pay for Philippine Soldiers.

New York, March 28.—A shipment of \$1,393,000 for the payment of soldiers in the Philippines left the treasury Tuesday afternoon. There were \$600,000 in gold coin packed in wooden boxes, each containing \$20,000, the same sum in bills was packed in three iron safes and the remainder, consisting of minor coin, packed in cartridge boxes. The money was hauled down Broad street under a guard of 18 soldiers. The detachment was cheered by brokers repeatedly along the route. The two trucks containing the money were driven to the United States transport Sumner, which immediately left for Manila.

Vote on Bill Fixed.

Washington, March 28.—The senate has agreed to vote on the Puerto Rico bill at 4 o'clock on Tuesday next.

Hartsell on the War.

London, March 28.—Bishop Hartsell who has been in charge of the Methodist mission work in South Africa for four years, is spending a fortnight in London before sailing for America to attend the conference at New York and Chicago. He talks about the war in a most temperate way, gives to the Dutch leaders and people credit for many excellent traits and robust virtues, but does not hesitate to express his deliberate convictions that the English cause is just and commands his sympathies.

New Gulf Route.

New York, March 28.—F. C. Hand, vice president of the Fort Worth, Corsicana and Sabine Pass railroad, recently organized for the purpose of building from Fort Worth to the gulf, has arrived here. His mission is to finance the object, and he says he expects to be able to accomplish that while here.

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...Mouldings
...and the new
...colors in
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CULTON WEAKENING.

Holds a Long Conference with Pros-
ecuting Attorney.

CONFESION ALLEGED

What Evidence Is Expected of Him Is
as Yet Unknown to the Public.
Youtsey Claims Prosecution
Broke Faith with Him.

Frankfort, March 23.—There are more
startling developments in the Goebel
assassination case. W. H. Culton, who
waived examination and was held over
to the circuit court, went to the Capitol
hotel late yesterday where he was in
conference with the attorneys for the
prosecution for two hours. He was accom-
panied by his brother-in-law, E. E.
Hogg, who is also his attorney.

It was reported at the time that Cul-
ton had made some kind of a confession,
but later it developed that the informa-
tion gained was not of as sweeping a
character as it was at first reported.
Culton's friends, who are in his confi-
dence, state that his statement was not
in the nature of a confession, but they
admit that he gave the prosecution such
information as he had, and which had
not heretofore come out.

The conference between Culton and
the attorneys took place in the room of
Colonel T. C. Campbell and there were
present besides Messrs. Culton and
Campbell, County Attorney Polsgrove,
Rev. Mr. Culton, father of the prisoner,
and E. E. Hogg.

While this conference was going on,
Henry E. Youtsey, the auditor's clerk,
who was arrested and locked up in jail,
charged with being an accessory, sent
for Colonel Campbell and the latter vis-
ited him at the jail and was closeted
with him for some time. Youtsey, when
arrested told the officer that the prosecu-
tion had promised not to arrest him. It
is not known what took place at the
interview between Youtsey and Campbell
but it is announced that he was ready to
make a public statement which the prosecu-
tion evidently did not care to have
made, at least for the present.

Culton and Davis waived examination
and by an agreement between the at-
torneys were admitted to \$5000 bail each.
The Democratic militia will be re-
tained here until after the April term of
court, which begins Monday, and at
which Secretary Powers and others are
to be tried. The Youtsey arrest caused
another flutter of excitement and Gov.
Beckham decided it was best to keep the
troops here.

DID NOT CONFESS.

It Is Claimed Youtsey Made No Admit-
tance in Goebel Murder.

Frankfort, March 28.—There is no
new development in connection with
the suspects held on the charge of being
accessory to the murder of the late Gov.
Goebel. Henry Youtsey, the young man
who was arrested Tuesday is still con-
fined in jail and probably will be given
an examining trial later in the week.
Though the prosecution claims to have
some strong evidence against him, the
nature is not disclosed and instead of
making a confession as it was reported
he had Tuesday, it is admitted he told
nothing and stoutly maintains he has no
knowledge of the murder except such
as the public generally knew and he from
the first has stood ready to tell all about
everything he saw around the executive
building on the day of the shooting.

Friends of Culton deny the statement
which he made to attorneys for the pros-
ecution, as are incriminating and full of
details as they have been made to appear.
L. J. Crawford, attorney for Youtsey,
held several conferences with the latter in
jail. Mr. Crawford said: "The charge
in jail Youtsey of the murder of
Goebel is preposterous. He simply hap-
pened to be working in the executive
building and in that way he may have
come in contact with mountaineers. In
the very nature of his position he was
thrown in contact with the people in the
building, but this is not sufficient cause
to arrest a man on the charge of access-
ory to murder. That he is innocent of
any guilt of the knowledge of the assassi-
nation I have not the least doubt, and
those who know him entertain the same
opinion."

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Davis Still in Jail.
Frankfort, March 28.—Captain John
Davis, one of the alleged accessories to
the murder of Governor Goebel, is still
in jail, no one having appeared to ex-
ecute a new bond instead of the one re-
jected Tuesday.

Charged With Smuggling.
El Paso, March 28.—Deputy United
States Marshal W. D. Sheridan of Mar-
fa arrived here with two prisoners, who
were accused of smuggling mescal into
the United States.

NEGROES TO AFRICA.

Rev. Sparks Says This Country Is No
Home for Them.

Baltimore, March 28.—The Rev. Milton
Sparks, educational agent of the Na-
tional Baptist convention, in an address
to a large meeting of negro Baptists
preachers here Tuesday night urged the
emigration of the negro race to Africa.
He argued that the negro was trans-
planted by force, and could not thrive
as he should until he returned to the
land of his fathers, and that their oppor-
tunities for advancement in the material
matters and the science of government
would be afforded which could never be
the fortune of the negro in this country,
where the predominance of the white
race is constantly increasing owing to
immigration. After a general discussion
of the subject a resolution was adopted
stating:

"Let them seek to increase our popula-
tion by encouraging the colored race
of other countries, such as the West
Indies, Cuba and the Congo Free State
to immigrate to this country. Since
certain congressmen think the govern-
ment has millions of dollars to appropri-
ate to send us to Africa. Let us ask for
\$5,000,000 to aid those of our race who
may desire to immigrate to this country."

HUNTING A HARBOR.

Gunboat Vixen Gone to Isla de Veiques
to Investigate.

Washington, March 28.—The gunboat
Vixen has left San Juan for Isla de Veiques,
or Crab island, southeast of Puerto
Rico, to look for a good harbor there.
She has a complete surveying apparatus
and will make a thorough investigation
of the locality. The exploration is under-
taken at the suggestion of the naval
war college, which has reason to suspect
that Crab island in all probability has
tremendous strategic possibilities, espe-
cially in the event of the United
States failing to acquire the Danish West
Indies. It is believed that should a good
harbor be found there a fortified naval
coaling base should be promptly estab-
lished, with the object of more effectively
commanding the eastern entrances to the
Caribbean sea than would be feasible
from San Juan.

Woman Bound and Gagged.

Gadsden, Ala., March 28.—One of the
boldest robberies and attempted crimi-
nal assaults known in this section oc-
curred almost in the heart of the city,
and on one of the principal residence
streets. James Haggeman, who works
at the pipe works and lives on Fifth
street, had eaten breakfast and gone to
work leaving his wife alone. Soon after
he left some one came to the front gate
and called asking if Haggeman was at
home. Mrs. Haggeman replied that he had
gone to work. She then went out in
the yard on an errand, and returning a
few moments later was surprised to find
her head enveloped in a pillowcase. She
supposed it was her husband who had
decided not to work and laughed at him.
Soon she found her mistake, as the men—
there were two—commenced stuffing her
mouth full of rags, until her jaws were
nearly broken. They tied her hands behind
her and also her feet. They then broke open
trunks and drawers securing a diamond and \$170.
She was nearly dead when unbound and
the gags removed.

Violated His Pardon Terms.

Perry, O. T., March 28.—W. D. Half-
hill, an attorney, formerly of Newkirk,
was arrested here on a charge of swindling
a number of farmers. In 1894 Halfhill
was convicted of perjury in the
territorial court here and sentenced to a
term in the penitentiary. Through the
intercessions of Missouri friends, how-
ever, he was granted a pardon by Gov.
Renfro, on condition that he would
never return to the territory. Halfhill
went to Colorado, but last week he re-
turned to Oklahoma, and, it is claimed,
launched a fake insurance scheme by
which he victimized fully 100 farmers.
The officials have revived a number of
charges that were pending against Half-
hill at the time of his conviction in
1894.

Only Going to Port Arthur.

St. Petersburg, March 28.—The Russian
squadron which called at Chemulpo
Korea, has arrived at Port Arthur. It
was announced in a dispatch from Yoko-
hama, that the Russian squadron arrived
at Chemulpo and added, it was believed
at Yokohama that this was presaged for
a demand for a concession of land at
Masanpo, a small harbor 20 miles south
of Chemulpo, which aroused uneasy
comments in Japan. It appears from a
dispatch from St. Petersburg that the
feeling of uneasiness was not warranted
by facts in the case.

Lynching in Mississippi.

Greenville, Miss., March 28.—The ne-
gro, William Edwards, alias "Wing"
Smith, who murdered Edward B. John-
son at Dulaney levee camp last Thurs-
day, was hanged by a mob to a Yazoo
and Mississippi Valley railroad bridge
between Greenville and Leland Monday
night.

Boy Killed While Hunting.

Denison, Tex., March 28.—While out
hunting near Bristol, I. T., Oscar Stan-
ton, aged 15 years, accidentally shot him-
self in the breast. He was found not far
from home. Death must have been in-
stantaneous from the size of the wound.

Bizzard in South Dakota.

Mellette, S. D., March 28.—The worst
bizzard of the season prevails here.
Twenty inches of snow fell Tuesday
night and heavy north winds are blow-
ing.

Snow Stops Street Cars.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., March 28.—Heavy
snowstorm stopped the street car traffic
here and promises to continue. Train
service has not yet been delayed.

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